# NC Child Care Commission Approved Early Childhood Four-Year-Old Curricula 2018

## PRESCHOOL CURRICULA

# **Balanced Learning**

Primrose Schools® Franchising Company, 2016 Approved for use in Primrose Schools® early childhood programs.

## Big Day for Pre-K

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2015 hmhco.com

Approved with the stipulation that programs not implement the letter of the week and teach literacy in the context of play and children's everyday experiences.

## Connect4Learning

Kaplan Early Learning Company, 2016 kaplanco.com

# Curiosity Corner, 2d Edition

Success for All Foundation, 2014 successforall.org

# Early Foundations

Knowledge Universe Education LLC, 2013
Approved for use in Kindercare early childhood programs.

#### **Fireflies**

Funshine Express, Published monthly

# Frog Street Pre-K

Frog Street Press, Inc., 2013 frogstreet.com

## Galileo Pre-K Online

Assessment Technology, Inc., 2016 ati-online.com

#### GEE Whiz

GEE Whiz Education, 2015
Approved for use in Family Child Care Homes.

# High Reach Learning Pre-K

Communicorp, Inc., 2010
Approved for use in Child Care Network early childhood programs.

## High/Scope Preschool Curriculum

High/Scope Press, 2002-2016 highscope.org

# L.E.A.P. ®, Learning Experience Academic Program®

The Learning Experience®, copyright 2007-present thelearningexperience.com
Approved for use in The Learning Experience early childhood programs.

# Learn Every Day: The Preschool Curriculum

Kaplan Early Learning Company, 2012 http://learneverydayabout.com/

# Life Essentials: Ready, Set, Go

Essential Brands, Inc., 2015

Approved for use in Kiddie Academy early childhood programs with the stipulation that programs not implement the letter of the week and teach literacy and math in the context of play and children's everyday experiences.

## Mother Goose Time Preschool Curriculum

Experience Early Learning™, Published annually mothergoosetime.com

## **Passports**

Communicorp, Inc., 2010
Approved for use in Child Care Network early childhood programs.

#### Starfall

Starfall Education Foundation, 2013. https://store.starfall.com/learn-more-prek-curriculum

## The Creative Curriculum® for Preschool, 6th Edition

Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2016 teachingstrategies.com

# The Creative Curriculum® for Family Child Care, 3d edition, Volume 1, 2 & 3

Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2017 Approved for use in Family Child Care Homes.

## The Investigator Club Prekindergarten Learning System, NC Edition

Robert Leslie Publishing, 2017 investigatorclub.com

## The World at Their Fingertips

Bright Horizons Family Solutions, 2011-2016 Approved for use in Bright Horizons Family Solutions early childhood programs.

# Tools of the Mind. 7th Edition

Metropolitan State College of Denver, 2012 toolsofthemind.org

## Young Achievers

The Children's Courtyard, 2016 Approved for use in The Children's Courtyard early childhood programs.

Both Centers and Family Child Care Homes may use any of the curricula on the above list, except when a stipulation indicates otherwise.

This list does not constitute an endorsement of any program using an approved curriculum.

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\*Below is a list of curricula which may still be used by providers currently using the curriculum to meet rule requirements. New programs, and programs purchasing a new curriculum may not use the below curricula.

## PRESCHOOL CURRICULA

# Assessment, Evaluation, and Programming Systems: Curriculum for Three to Six Years

Paul Brookes Publishing Co., Inc., 2002

# Beyond Centers and Circle Time® Curriculum Pre-K Theme Series

Kaplan Early Learning Company, 2007

## The Creative Curriculum® for Preschool, 4th Edition

Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2002

## The Creative Curriculum® for Preschool, 5th Edition

Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2010

## The Creative Curriculum® System for Preschool

Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2010

# The Empowered Child™, Childtime, 2d Edition

2007

# Explorations with Young Children: A Curriculum Guide from the Bank Street College of Education

Gryphon House, 1992

# F.L.EX® Learning Program

Goddard Systems, Inc., 2012

## High Reach Learning

High Reach Learning, Inc., 2009

## High/Scope Preschool Curriculum

High/Scope Press, 2002 highscope.org

## HighScope Preschool Curriculum

HighScope Press, 2012

## Investigator Club Prekindergarten Learning System, NC Edition

Robert Leslie Publishing, 2007-2012

#### Journey on the Learning Care System®

LaPetite Academy®, 2011-2012

## Kids R Kids

Kids 'R' Kids International, Inc., 2016 Approved for use in Kids 'R' Kids early childhood programs.

## Links to Learning

Nobel Learning Preschool Curriculum, 2006

# Links to Literacy

Kaplan Early Learning Company, 2005

## Little Treasures

The Macmillan/McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc., 2011

## Opening the World of Learning™ (OWL)

Pearson Early Learning, 2005

## **Passports**

HighReach Learning, Inc., 2007

## **Primrose**

Primrose Schools, 2012

## Read It Once Again

Read It Once Again, 2003-Present; Ongoing publishing.

# Scholastic Big Day for Pre-K

Scholastic, Inc., 2009

## Tools of the Mind, 6th Edition

Metropolitan State College of Denver, 2009-2011

## Tutor Time *LifeSmart*™

2005

## **FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME CURRICULUM**

The Creative Curriculum® for Family Child Care, 2d edition, Volume 1 and 2 Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2009